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Re: U. S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/723,065 entitled "CHEST MOUNTED CARDIO PULMONARY RESUSCITATION DEVICE AND SYSTEM," by Elroy T. Cantrell (Our Ref: ELC500/4-001DIVCONUS/36000)

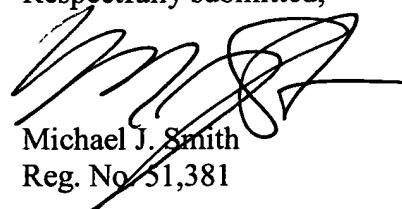
Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced patent application are the following:

1. Second Preliminary Amendment;
2. Credit Card Payment Form; and
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Should any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be required for any reason relating to the enclosed materials, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct said fees from VINSON & ELKINS L.L.P. Deposit Account No. 22-0365/ELC500/4-001DIVCONUS/36000.

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*In re* Application of:  
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Serial No.: 10/723,065

Filed: November 26, 2003

For: CHEST MOUNTED CARDIO  
PULMONARY RESUSCITATION  
DEVICE

Group Art Unit: 3764

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Sir:

The present paper is filed prior to the issuance of a first office action. In advance of prosecution, please amend the above-captioned application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 3.

**Remarks** begin on page 13.

Fees were previously paid for three additional independent claims (six total) and thirty claims in excess of twenty (fifty total). A Credit Card Payment Form for the amount of \$825.00 is enclosed herewith for the following additional fees:

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Serial No.: 10/723,065  
Second Preliminary Amendment

Code 2201 Two additional independent claims (eight total) \$200.00

Code 2202 25 additional claims over twenty (75total claims) \$625.00

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